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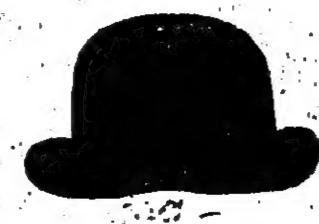
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TRAGEDY ON THE "SHAOHSING."

A YOUNG SIKH WOMAN MURDERED!

A shocking murder freported by telegram in our columns on Saturday .- Ed., H.K. 7.] was committed, in the C. N. S. Shaphsing yesterday. evening, reports the N. C. D. News of 16th inst., on a young Sikh woman named Hakor, wife of one Surgon Singh; the couple with three of their friends Bugga, Isser and Mulah Singhs, had booked passages to Hongkong. the five Sikhs went on board early yesterday morning and because of caste were assigned f secluded corner of the tween-decks. Shortly after 6.30 p.m. a Cantonese compradore sushed on deck and reported that murder was being committed below. The Officers went to the lower deck and found a number of Chinese holding a Sith, named Mulah Singh, while the unfortunate woman lay between some boxes quite dead. The instrument used was evidently a sharp little chopper with a round point somewhat similar to a brush-hook. The facts were at once reported to the French Police and by them to the Municipal Police. Inquiries were made and a number of detectives at once began a hunt for the missing members of the party. Shortly after that Surgon Singh visited the Louza Police Station and reported the murder, adding that the other Sikhs had committed it, Detective Crnikshanki however, insisted on the man accompanying him to the steamer.

.The chief officer of the Shaohsing, meanwhile returned to the ship and found Singhs Mulah and Isser there. These men he placed in irons, until the French police came and took them away. Det.-Sgt. [Fitzgibbon then came to the steamer and when Detective Cruikshank and Surgon arrived Fitzgibbon brought the other men Mulah and Isser back and they at once stated that Surgon had murdered his wife. The fourth man Bugge Singh could not be found for some time, but he was discovered in Canton Road at about 9 p.m. Several witnesses assert that Bugga committed the crime but he denied that and stated that he had been away. from the ship all day. The four men were arrested and Surgon Singh was charged with having committed the murder.

It appears that Surgon Singh and Hakor. lived with Bugga Singh in North Honan Road for some time but recently have resided at No. 96 Peking Road. Surgon joined the S. M. Police on September '15 last but resigned on 6th instant.

Dr. Marsh held a post-mortem examination on the body in the steamer last night at 10 p.m. and Mr. J. C. E. Donglas, Coroner, conducted a preliminary Magisterial Inquiry afterwards, at the same place. The body was then removed to the Fearon Road Mortuary and the witnesses were warned to attend the inquest which will be held there at 9 a,m.

THE BANK OF JAPAN.

MR. KIMURA ON HIS FOREIGN MISSION.

Mr. Kimura, a Director of the Bank of Japan, who is leaving Tokyo shortly on a tour through America and Europe, has stated that he is leaving Tokyo about the middle of this, month on a tour of inspection of the branch offices of the bank in Europe and America. He first intended to visit Shanghai and thence proceed to London by way of Hongkong and Bombay. From London he would cross to the Continent, and after another visit to London would cross over to America and then return to Japan. His entire journey would

occupy about six months. The value of the Japanese Government specie deposited in Europe, said Mr. Kimura, amounted to about Y400,000,000, and was all deposited at banks in England, Germany, France and Russia, under the charge of the Bank of Japan. All the branches of the Bank in Europe and America have a more or less close connection with the funds kept in Europe, and this necessitated the Bank being formerly in the occupation of the Admiralty thor ughly informed of the condition of its branches abroad. A report had appeared in some of the papers that this visit to Europe and America was for the purpose of appointing officials to take control of the business of the branches abroad, but this was incorrect. 'bere was no necessity to appoint such officials. During the Russo-Japinese war, Mr. Yanazira Usaburo was sent to London and Mr Ono Rijiro to New York to take charge at those commercial centres, and both these gentlemen had since remained in their positions.

THE JAPANESE SILK TRADE.

FURTHER DETAILS OF THE THREATENED AMERICAN BOYCOTT.

In a telegram addressed to the Foreign Office in Tokyo, dealing with the threatened boycott of Japanes - seguri silk, the Japanese Consul-General in New York states that on the 4th instant the members of the American Silk Traders Association, considering the course taken by the Usul and two other silk-reeling companies la Gumba Prefecture as prejudicia to the general principle of competition in trade, STREET. adopted a resolution to discriminate against the raw silk in question as far as practicable. This resolution was communicated to the Japanese Ambassador in Washington, the Consul-General in New York, and the Japanese raw silk producers and dealers in general, with a view to inducing the three silk-reeling companies in question to reconsider their action and discontinue the new arrangement.

The Consul-General adds that the resolution was adopted only by a section of the members and not by the Association officially as a body. The majority of those present at the meeting. were dealers in twisted. The raw silk dealers generally most warmly supported the resolution, but the wervers showed indifference. The Apply to-Mitsul Bussan Kaisha and the Kilto Gome! Kalsha were also represented at the mesting, [6: Japan Chronicle,

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Kowloon,

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Hongkong, 17th October, 1907.

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Hongkong, 21st October, 1907.

### Intimations.

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ATTORNEY, &c., &c., SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 22nd May, 1907.

DEAK, TRAMWAYS COMPANY

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Extra cars at 3.15 p.m., 11.30 p.m. and '11.45 p m. SPECIAL CARS by Arrangement at the Company's Office, ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS.

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ex Factory. SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers Hongkong; 3rd October, 1907

# Untimations.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S DEPART

I T is hereby notified that information has been received from the Military Authorities. that FIELD FIRING will be carried out as under: - ... "

On the slope of Beacon Hill in a North-Westerly direction, between 8 A.M. and I P.M. on the 19th and 35th instant.

From Custom's Pass in a Westerly direction towards Kau-lung Peak on the 21st, 22nd 23rd, 24th and 25th instant. F. H. MAY. Colonial Secretary.

Hongkong, 14th October, 1907.

SANITARY BOARD OFFICE, Hongkotik.

TO THE OWNERS OF DOMESTIC BUILDINGS

TAKE NOTICE that under No. 5 of the DOMESTIC CLEANLINESS, and VENTILATION BYE-LAWS (as amended), every Domestic Building or part of such Building within the CENTRAL DIVISION of the CITY OF ICTORIA, and the WESTERN DIVI-SION OF KAU LUNG, occupied by inembers, more than one family must be CLEANSED and LIMEWASHED THROUGHOUT by the owner during the months of September. and October.

N.B.—The word "Throughout" used in this notice means that the Houses should be Limewashed in respect of all the Walls of each Room and Staircases, all Cubicle Partitions. Stair Casings and Stair Linings, all Ceilings and the Undersides of Rools but in Main Buildings, Offices and Servants' Quarters and inclusive of Verandahs.

The Backyard should have its containing Walls Limewashed up to the level of the first

Carved, Painted or Polished Woodwork-in good condition, however, need not be Limewashed, but must be Cleansed.

The Central Division of the City lies between Gilman Street and Peel Street on the East and Tank Lane and Cleverly Street on the West.

Kau-lung is divided into the Eastern and Western divisions by Robinson Road and a straight line drawn from the North and thereof through the Yaumati service Reservoir to the Northern boundary of Kau-lung.

G. A. WOODCOCK, Secretary.

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A SHANGHAL JUBILER.

The W. C. D. Webs dithe toth bat says -To day the North-China Branch of the Royal Asiatic Speiery celebrater the fiftieth and versity of a first meeting as an organized body. In the course of this afternoon's pro caedings, when addresses will be read by such leaders in their varied walks in life as Bishop Moule, Sir Pelbam Warren, Mr. H. B. Morn and Mr. T. W. Kingsmill, the story of the Society will be told at sufficient length to obviate detailed reference to it now. It suoughto recall how in 1857 the idea of starting a Literary and Scientific Society in Shangha originated with two missionaries, both d tinguished scholars, who were so soon ab to carry but, their scheme, that September 24 of the same year an inaugura meeting was held at which the Society, was formally constituted. Three weeks later the first meeting of the new Society was held, and in another column will be found the misute of the proceedings as published in the next save of The North China Berald, Within year the institution had become affiliated the Royal Asiatic Society and assumed the title by which it is now known. Of the existence of this Society and of the notable work it has achieved Shaughal has every reason to be proud, if only for the fact that it challenges the stigma occasionally passed on our Settlement that the pressing demands of commercial life leave little room and less inclination literary and scientific putsuits. Fortunately t has been found that an increased knowledge of China and of all that concerns her people is of practical advantage to the interests of commerce, as well as of science and of civilization in general, and the Society has continued to

From the limer history of the lustitution we may pethaps, turn to a consideration of the significance of a Jubilea celebration in our midst. Of those who were present at the inaugu at meetings filty years ago one former resident along survives in the person bl Mr. William Reswick, now member of Parliament for the Epsom Division of Survey. At that time the Brit-The population of Shanghai humbered barely two Rundred ; nevertbeless, as a body politic it had achieved much and had laid deep and firm the foundations on which the future edifice was to be reared. In this connexion it is not without interest to recall the order in which the young Settlement had proceeded to develop itself. The first public meeting ever held in Shanghai took place at the British Consulate, which was then in the city itself. It was called to establish Holy Trinity Church and the British Chaplaincy, and thus the results of the first of the long series of public efforts on the part of the carliest residents remain to this day. There is a peculiar'y apposite sequence in the order in which such public effort found expression, for the next step, the foundation of a hospital responded to the humanitarian dictates of the community. Further meetings sought to promote health and physical well-being, and resulting in the original Race Course, led eventually to the acquisition of that fine expanse of open ground which is one of Shanghai's most treasured possessions to-day. Then from the well-being of the individual attention was turned to the welfare and order of the community as a whole, and a municipal system of government was established. Finally the gradual development of public life created the demand for provision for the intellectual requirement, and virtually twelve per cent of the whole community formed themselves into a Literary and Scientific Society. Such efforts constitute no mean

Fifty years later we may well take stock of our heritage and inquire whether we have been. worthy follows a of those stalwart pioneers. Of the vast strides made in the material growth of Shanghai there can be no two opinions, and it may be doubted whether in their most optimistic moments the leaders of the Settlement in 1817 dreamed of a concession covering nearly nine square miles, presenting the appearance that the town wears to-day. And yet theirs was a sturdy faith, and the ideals that some at least held out still lack realization; ] "Shanghai," said the mover of the resolution for the formation of the Literary and Scientific Society, "Shanghai stands unique among the foreign cities in the East as to the favourable circumstances connected with its establishment and early growth, and we, who identify our selves with her interests and reputation shall not be content till the apparatus of her social cultivation and intellectual improvement, be made complete by the establishment of a Musical Society and a Public Gallery of the Fine Arts." The latter part of this expectation still awaits fulfil nent. Hesitatingly and timidly we seem to be feeling our way towards it, although it must remain an open question whether with a population increased 1401 sixty-fold we could muster as strong a percentage as they did in the old days exercised in mind over the apparatus of the community's intellectual improvement. To-day, however, when the addresses to the North-China Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society have been delivered, we trust that while we have to admit that there were giants in those days, we shall find the intellectual stature of the community no whit diminished.

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is bought and used without hesitation or doubt Its Good Name is the solid basis for the faith The people have in it ; and a good name, has to be earned by, good deeds. For the purposes for which it is commended it is honest, true and practical. It does what you have a right to expect it to do. It is palatable as honey and contains all the nutritive and curative properties of Pure Cod Liver Oil, combined with the Compound Syrup of Hypophosphiles and the Extracts of Malt and Wild Cherry. In Scrolula, Anemia, Nervous and General Debility, Influenza, Blood Impurities and Wasting Complaints, it is to be thoroughly relied upon. I. L. Carrick says: "I have had remarkable success with it in the treatment of Consumption, Chronic Bronchitis, Catarrh and Scrofulous Affections. It is of special value in nervous prostration and depraved nutrition; it stimulates the appetite and the digestion, promotes assimilation, and enters directly into the circulation with the food. I consider it a marvelous success in medicine." Every dose effective. "You cannot be disappointed in it

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Shanghai, 12th Cctober, 1907.

WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACTS

ENDERS will be received at the Head Ouarter Offices, until 12 o'clock Noon, on TUESDAY, the 12th of November, 1907, for the Supply of

GENERAL SUPPLIES, "A" (except Milk) including Indian Food-stuffs, for the period from 18th November, 1907, to

31st March, 1908, Forms of Tender and any particulars can be obtained on application to this Office, personally or by letter, addressed to the Officer Commanding Army Service Corps, between the

hours of to A.M. and 4 P.M. The Tenders must be properly filled up, signed and dated, and no Tender will be noticed unless delivered upon the proper form at the Head Quarter Office by 12 o'clock Noon on the above date, in a closed envelope, marked "TENDER" on the outside.

The right to reject any or all Tenders i

Head Quarter Offices,

## H ngkong, 18th October, 1907.

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

Consignees.

S.S. "BENLOMOND," FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS. ..

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 26th instant, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 31st inst., or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed; and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 26th instant, at II A.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, 21st October, 1907. "MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "ATHOLL," FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after-the 28th instant will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be pre-sented to the Undersigned on or before the zoth November, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chuied, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 28th inst., at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & Co., LIMITED Hongkong, soth October, 1907.

## Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

GLEN LINE OF STEAMERS.

FROM ANTWERP, HULL, LONDON THE Steamship

"GLENEARN" having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Good! We landed."

Goods not cleared by the and instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the No claims will be recognised if not presented

within 14 days of the ship's arrival. MCGREGOR BROS. & GOW. Hongkong: 16:H October, 1977.

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS, LTD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON AND STRAITS. THE Steamship

"DENBIGHSHIRE,"

Captain W. A. Evans, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon, Whatf and Goddwn Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods:

have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 24th inst, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

examined on THURSDAY, 24th inst, at No-Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by -

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., Hongkong, 18th October, 1907.

HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.

"SITHONIA." Captain Brehmer, having arrived, Consignees

of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice o the contrary be given before TO-DAY. Any Cargo, impeding, her discharge will be landed into the hazardous and/or extra hazardour Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon

Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns and all Goods remaining

undelivered after the 25th inst.; will be subject All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 24th inst., at 3 P.M.

"No Fire insurance has been effected.... HAMBURGAMERIKA LINIE. Hongkong Office. Hongkong, 18th October, 1907.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer "ARCADIA!" FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND

STRAITS. Consignees of Cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their His in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as

the Goods are landed. This vessel brings on Cargo: From London, &c., ex S.S. China. From Persian Gulf, ex B.I.S.N. and B. & P. S. N. Co.'s Steamers. Optional Goods will be landed here unless

instructions are given to the contrary before Goods not cleared by the aged lost, at f.M. will be subject fo redit. No Fire insurance will be effected by me in

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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any case whatever.

"PPINZ WALDEMAR." having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and: Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hougkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery

may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the costs have left the Godowa's, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 24th of October, will be subject to rent.

All broken chistell and damaged Goods are to be less in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 24th of October, at 9 30 A.M. All Claims must reach us before the 28th of October or they will not burrecognized," No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Underelgued. NORDDBUTSCHER LLOYD! MELCHERS & Coa

Hongkong, 18th October, 1907



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ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS, Hongkong, 12th October, 1907.

MARRIAGE.

On October 18, 1907, at Shanghai, O. H. RITTER, Cashier, Pacific Mail Steamship Co., Shanghai, to Miss LUCY A. CORKER, of San Francisco, U. S. A.

Whe Hongkong Velegraph

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1907.

SHIPS' SURGEONS.

Of all the professional men who have to struggle for recognition even by these who follow the same craft, and have passed through the same mill, there is probably none who is worse situated or yet more worthy of recognition than the medical man who elects to spend his days on shipboard. No doubt, after the toil of labouring through aminations and the anxiety which attaches to attendance at the "cage," the prospect of world travel is a fascinating bait, especially to the student of modest means or of no means whatever. If unable to acquire a practice and should the locum tenens need fail, the passed man who does not seek special honours is apt to jump at the opportunity of seeing something of the world before settling down to a prosaic country life and a doubtful competency. Those students in particular who have had to fight their way to the degrees, and are still undecided as to their exact bent, are inclined to regard the offer of a ship much in the same way as the Scotch assistant parson regards a" call." In most cases, it is to be hoped, the doctor amasses suffi--cient to possess him of a practice not teo far removed from his kith and kin, but there are many who find that: the first attraction of the sea has become all powerful. If he received that recognition as an important factor in a ship's economy that he deserves then there might be no cause to complain, but very frequently the deck officers as well as the passengers hold the doctor in the same esteem as they would. accord to an exaggerated steward, or at least, one who has not acquired the status of a gentleman. The passenger, always on s yoyage of any length, invariably has recourse to the pharmacy on board, always insists that the doctor alone shall attend to him, and nearly always forgets at the end of the voyage the worry and nuisance he has been to the complaisant dispenser of pills and advice. That might not matter very much, but shipowners and others, including the "degreed" men ashore, are equally inconsequent in their treatment of those who practice the healing profession at sea. Naturally, the ship's surgeon is antiquatedthinks his fellow graduate on shore. The shipowner holds him as a legal necessity

and if the necessity can be beaten down in the matter of salary so much the better. We publish to-day a letter from a responsible member of the profession advocating the formation of an association to protect the interests of those medical officers who alleviate suffering in the tween decks. While we have little belief in associations of that character as a whole, and none when their object is purely and avowedly mercenary, we do believe that in their own interest ship medical officers should conbine to establish their status in the Orient. If it is worth while to establish an association of the sort in London is ten times more valuable to have a similar organisation in the Far East. They need not be independent of each other, but they should certainly be individual, inasmuch as their objects must be different, and an affiliated society operating from London could never hope to achieve results in the Far East. The only question is whether ships' surgeons will take the trouble to join such an association in Hongkong, whether they would even take the trouble to inquire as to its character, and in this case the subjunctive is very compelling. At all events, it should not be impossible to work up, say, a transitory interest in a movement which all who have benefited at the hands of sea-going practitioners will support, always providing that it evades the idea of being a trade union. may be added for the benefit of those who think of responding to "D.R.P.'s" suggestion that letters on the subject will be received for a month, in order that those visiting southern ports may have an opportunity of expressing their views to our correspondent.

### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE master of an emigrants' boarding-house paid \$50 at the Police Court, to-day, for failing to keep his register in order. Detective Sergeant Grant prosecuted,

THE Japanese Exclusion League of Victoria, Vancouver Island, is pressing five members of the Provincial Parliament, who are antagonistic to the policy of exclusion to resign, ...

An assistant, employed by the Opium Farm, was at the Police Court, this morning, sentenced to six weeks' hard labour. He was found guilty of stealing seven boxes of opium

THE New York-Sun publishes authentic revelations of extraordinary activity in the War and Navy Departments. There is indisputable evidence that these Departments are thoroughly prepared for emergencies.

MR. J. M. Beck, superintendent of the Telegraph Co., informs us that the normal route to America, vin Pacific, was restored last night. All telegrams from America, unless otherwise directed, will now be forwarded via Pacific.

THE hon, treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals begs to acknowledge wi thanks the following donations to the funds of the hospitals:----

H. Wicking & Co ......\$20 

THE agent of the P. M. S. S. Co. writes: -" We are in receipt of a cable from our Yokoham age (s'advisi g'. that the quarantine ag ii st Shanghai by Japan has bee a litted, and commencing with our s s. Korra sailing hence on the 1st prex ma, our ships will resume the call at Shanghai ou their homew rd trip."

THREE men-a coolie, a carpenter and a hawker-were arraigned before Mr. F. A. Hazeland, in the Police Court, to-day, charged with entering a boarding-house, in Counaught Road Central, last night, and stealing \$7 worth 'of goods. They' were found guilty, and each man was sentenced to three weeks' hard labour and six hours' stocks.

On the 15th inst., Detective-sergeant Reeves of Shanghai was presented with a silver cigarette case by the Hon. Charles Denby U. S. Consul-General, in recognition of his services to the Hon. W. H. Taft and part during their visit to Shanghai. The cigarette case bore the inscription: To Detective-sergeant Reeves as a memento of the recent visit of the Hon. W. H. Talt to Shanghai, October 8, 1907.

A' Tokto telégram of t8th inst. to the N. C. D. News says:-The Japanese | Crown Prince lunched with the Emperor and Empress of Kurea and the Crown Prince yesterday. H Royal Highness conferred the Collar of the Order of the Crysanthemum upon the Emperor and the Grand Cordon of the same Order upon the Crown Prince. The Korean Emperor in turn decorated the members of the Crown Prince's suite. The Emperor of Korea returned the visit of the Japanese Cro vn Prince today. There are indications that the old Emperor is still engaged in intrigues,

THE Sinni Observer, of 11th inst., says .- The s.s. Rojak which brrught '3 bags of mail this morning relieved some of the impression that we in Bangkok might not receive any more mails from Hongkong , During, the last 45 days, only two s'camers from Hongkong arrived here, and somehow or other they brought no mails ; though meanwhile almost every day we had steamers from Swatow. Unless the postal authorities in Hongkong help us by arranging some sort of connection of the mails with sleamers at Swatow, Bangkok correspondents are helpless in the matter. Presumably; the Swatow-Bangkok run pays the steamship companies better; and they cannot be expected to sympathize with correspondents at a loss to -themsolves.

SOUTH CHINA DNREST.

RISING PLANNED AT SHIU-HING.

VICEREGAL INSTRUCTIONS.

It would appear that the unrest in the South is spreading over a wider a en. Latestinform. ation states that a rising is planned, in Shiuhing and on the 18th in-t., the Viceroy despatched the following telegraphic instructions to the Prefect at Shin-hing :-

"information has been received that recently insur, eats, assuming the name of Imperialists fighting for the cause of His Most Gracious Majesty the Emperor, have been infesting many parts of Shiu-hing and are placning an insurrection. Their intention, it is ascertained, is to cross over to Wa -chap district (国集) and thence to Kwangsi to join the standard of the rebels there.

"You are hereby ordered to direct all the officers (civil and military) under you to keep most diligent watch for any suspicious charac-In the meantime you are to engage skilful detectives to find the truth of this report and the proposed actionsofthe malcontents in detail

if possible. You are to report to me by wire at any time the result of your investigation, "This must be done with most careful this

SIR CHENTUNG LIANG CHENG HOROURED BY THE EMPEROR.

EARLY RETURN TO CANTON.

[From a Correspondent.]

Canton, 21st October. Sr Chentung Liang Cheng, the President of the Canton-Hankow Railway Company, sent a private telegram to his family yesterday afternoon. About the same hour H.E. Viceroy Chang received a telegram from the Board of Posts and Communications stating that Sir Chentung will start for Canton on the 20th day of this moon (26th inst.). The contents of the two telegrams are appended !-

[Telegram from Sir Chentung to his family ]

Had audience with their Majesties the Emperor and Empress-Dowager twice on 12th day (18th inst.). By their Majesties gracious and munificent favour, an Imperial Edict was issued the next morning through the Grand-Cabinet conferring on me a first grade button. Shall start for Canton 20th day.

(Sd.), CHENTUNG LIANG CHENG.

[Telegram from the Board of Foreign Affairs.]

To H.E. Viceroy of Liang Kwang. We received communication from Sir Chentung Liang Cheng to the effect that he will return to Canton on the 20th day of this moon to take up the post as president of the Canton-Hankow Railway Company. It is expedient

to inform you by wire of his return. Please communicate this to the Railway Company.

(Sd), THE BOARD OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

It is ascertained that the family of Sir Chentung has rented a house-No. 56; Old Po-wah street, Western auburb, for his residence. His family will remove into this house on the 18th d.y (24th inst.). The Chinese in Cauton are exceed, igly glad of the news that he is coming so soon. It is expected that the chaotic state of affairs of the railway company will be set right as soon as he takes them under management. Fe is to be congratulated on his great popularity.

THE WEATHER.

The following report is from Mr. F. G. Figgi Director of the Hungkong Observatory :-On the 22nd at 1 r.55 a .- The depression lying over W. Japan yesterday has moved Eastwar and reached the Pacific to the E. of Japan;

It is followed by another depression over the Lower Yangtze Valley, where pressure has decreased quickly during the past 24 hours. The depression will move Eastwords, and

strong monsoon will probably set in again in the North by to-morrow. . Moderate variable winds may be expected in

the Formosa Channel and the N. part of the Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending

at to a.m. to-day, o.co inches. 🐇

FORECAST. t .- Hongkong and Neighbourhood, SE winds, light to moderate; fair,

7.- Formosa Channel, Variable winds, mo 3.-South coast of China between Hongkong

and Lamocks, same as No. 1. 4.-South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan, same as No. 1.

FETURN of visitors to the City Hall Librar and Museum for the week ending the 201 October, 1507:-

Library. Museum. Non-Chinese...... 414 Chirese ...... 151 2,370

THE Manila Camival Committee is fast perfecting arrangements for the reception of King Carnival in February next and if present plans are carried out, the affair will be one of the grandest fêtes that has ever been held in the Orient, says the Callengus, Capi tain George T. Langhorne, A D.C. president of the executive committee, who has recently returned from Hongkong, had an interview with the commanding general of the English. forces there regarding a representation from His Majesty's service and the general, who was very much interested in the project, expressed his willingness to send over some troops to week in February,

CANTON DAY BY DAY.

UNREST IN THE SOUTH.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Canton, zist Oc ober. H.E. Vicercy Chang, seeing that the risin n the prefectures of Yumchow, has not yet been totally suppressed, has again despatched instructions by telegraph to the officials at Yumchow to loss no time in looking for and capturing the leaders of the rebellion, and to slightly punish and warn the followers of the ringleaders, and to be careful that the innocent and others not concerned are not unjustly

punished or implicate !... By order of H.E Ghang, the assistant magistrate, Liang Kwok-wah, of the city of Fong Sding, arrived here yesterday to report fully on the circumstances which led to the recent rising in which the district magistrate and his family were foully done to death by the rebels. H.E. Chang has not yet a clear knowledge. whether the rising in Yumchow was initiated by the disbanded soldiery or by the rebels. No doubt, the assistant magistrate will give full details on all the particulars to the Vicerpy and who in turn will report the same to the Central Government,

The Brigadier-General of Pakhol, Li. Chun, ias been informed, that a Wong San-chuen is ascertained to be the leader of the recent rising in Yumchow and that the bindits have again threatened the people that they will one day attack the city of Yumchow Brigadier General Li has instructed Taotai Kwok Jen-chang, commander of troops, to pursue the insurgents, with the seventeenth and twentieth regiments. It is also reported that some of the malcontents have fled over or are refuging on the boundaries of this province and that of Kwangsi. The Kwangsi authorities have been requested to attack them so as to prevent them from fleeing nto the interior.

THE COMING OF SIR CHENTUNG. .-

It is only a few days since that it was reported that a telegram from Peking stated that Sir Chentung Liang Cheng will not be able to return to Canton, as he is very likely to be detained in the Capital for service. But yesferday, Sir Chantung sent a telegram to his (amily in Canton informing them that he has been conferred with the honour of the button of the first class, and that he will return to the South about the 2 th of the present moon. house has been got ready and furnished in Po Wah Street in the western suburb for Sir Chentung's residence.

LOCAL SELV-GOVERNMENT.

The Canton High Authorities have for some time past contemplated the introduction of local self-government in the province of Kwangtung, and have proposed to send weiguans .to Tientsin to investigate the system of self-government in vogue there, and which had been promulgated for some time and is working successfully. It is now the opinion of the Cantom way S .- Should brother practitioners agree-Authorities that the first step to that end is to inquire into the conditions and customs of the mass in the different districts, so that the authorities are now intending to select some of the local offici is who are well versed in the law of the Empire, to proceed to Japan to investigate the Japanese system of self-government, and at the same time to send weignans to the different districts to inquire into the condition of the people. When all these wie unna have returned and all the above investigations have been completed, weiyuans will then be sen Tientsin to study the system now in force that port and then arrangements will be made to introduce local self-government into this

The Junior Lieutenant Tartar General, Li Kwok Git's wedding will take place on the 20th day of this moon. A large matshed has been erected in front of his yamen for the occasion. Both Lady Chang, wife of H.E. Viceroy Chang, and Lady King, wife of the present Tartar General of Canton, will be present at the wedding ceremony.

CANTON-HANKOW RAILWAY,

The members of the new board of directors of the Canton-Hankow Railway Company have reported to H.E. the Viceroy and all other officials in Canton of the fact that they will assume charge of office on the 17th day of, be doing a brisk business in the export trade. this moon (the 23rd instant).

RELIGIOUS OBSERVINCE.

II. E. Viceroy Chang will pay his fi st visit to the different temples of the city to offer his respects to the gods."

OPIUM MONOPOLIES.

The Shan Hou Chu has taken over the control of the prepared opium farms from only those farmers who have failed to pay up their full amount of annual royal y, and those who have paid up to date will retain the former privilege of running the farms. The prefectures, districts etc. at present under the control of the Shan Hou Chu are as follows :- Prefectures: Namhung, Shiuchow, Lienchow (whole) Shiphing, Klungchow, Ngaichow, Limchow (partly), and the districts of Namhoi and Sunon.

GRANTS TO BANNERMEN.

In accordance with the Imperial Decree abolishing the different Bannerman Corps throu, hout the Empire and the special grant of land to them before their abandonment, the Bannermen of Canton have petitioned the Tartar General and Lieutenant Tartar Generals of Canton requesting them to make early arrangements in regard to these grants of land,

OFFICIALS AT- VARIANCE. It is reported that the present Salt Commissioner of Canton, Ting Nai-ying, a protegé of H.E. Viceroy Shum, is in disagreement with take part in the Camival festivities. come of H.E. Viceroy Chang on many points, The the steamship companies in Hongkong will Viceroy intends to memorialse the Throne for give rates and several excursions will be made the appointment of the present Kwangchow to Manila from Hongkong during the first Prefect, Chan Mong Tsang, as Salt Commissioner of Canton.

CANTON-HANKOW RAILWAY.

ALLEGED DEFECTIVE LOCOMOTIVES. [From a Correspondent.]

Canton, atst October.

Five locomolives were made to the order of the Canton-Hankow Railway Company by a firm in New York, U. S. A. The three for the use of the main-line at Wongsha arrived before the remaining two for the use of the branch line at Shek Wai-tong which came by a following steamer. The latter have been fixed up admirably without any difficulty and have now been used for drawing cars for more than a week, while only one of the former was put together a few days ago, On trial, for three succossive days, this locomotive has been found out of order and could not travel as far as Sair chuen, a place within a mile of Canton. It is be leved that the cylinder has 1 one wrong and the sliding valve is also defective thus causing too much escape of sie m. There might be other defects basides these. Anyhow, the boiler was very nearly injured on one occasion when water was four-d at the last moment to be almost exhausted. Taotai Kwong, the engineer-in-chief, has just taken over the superintendence of all the machinery of the company. is expected that he will find means to make speedy repair of these locomotives.

CORRESPONDENCE.

[We'do not necessarily endorse the opinions expressed by Correspondents in this column.]

PROTUSED SHIPS' SURGEONS ASSOCIATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG TELEGRAPH."

Sir,-Having observed in the Lancet of the 25th August last that a British Association for ships' surgeons has been formed in London with the object of establishing and improving the status of ships' surgeons, I take the liberty. of suggesting that it would be an excellent thing for all fully qualified men holding certificat s from one of the British universities if a similar institution were formed in the Far East, so that the position, prospects and pay of medical officers on board ship hight be recognised as being of equal value with those held by medical men ashore. At present shipowners and agents fail to grant the legitimate demands of those members of the profession who become ships' surgeons, wholly ignoring the labour and responsibility which attach to the office. Medical practitioners who elect to prove their abilities on board ship should, in my opinion, certainly form themselves into an association to enforce their rights and secure, at least, public recognition. And there is no place, where such an association would prove of greater influence than in the Far East, with Hongkong as the centre and headquarters .- 1 am, etc.,

D. R. P., L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., L.M. Hongkong, 22nd October ...

with this suggestion they might communicate with me, care of the Editor of the Hongkong Telegraph.

RICE PROSPECIS.

OPTIMISTIC FORECAST.

Prospects for a good rice harvest in Siamthis year have surpassed all anticipations, & present the outlook is most optimistic thank to the recent rains. It was thought some months ago that the danger of famine would be unusually widespread this year. It is not

only in Siam and the greater part of Indo China that the long drought raised apprehension. In parts of China and India the outlook was also grave and is still in many places; But in Siam with our long rainy season it is ne rly always possible to get at least a late harvest that will stave off actual famine, &

Farmers who have been retaining provisions of the previous year's harvest against possible sc., rcity, are said to be now more ready to part with more at a good price, and the apprehension that there would be little rice to export next season is vanishing.

The outlook is equally cheering in Indo-Chiua. The paddy crops are flourishing beautiful.y, and even now rice mills appear to

The following may be taken as an example of the activity that prevails at Saigon;

"A few months ago, a Chinese rice mill bearing the name of Kien Hong-Seng wa burned down at Cholon, the commercial quarter of Saigon. The losses were immense, but new company was soon formed to reconstruct the mill on the same spot. So brisk is business there now that two more companies have been formed, to start the same number of rice mills. Another company is planning the construction of a fourth new rice mill there early next year, In other words, four mills will rise out of the

This is an eloquent proof of the bright prospects ahead. Rice cultivation promises to be a great industry throughout the length and breadth of Indo-China. The authorities there are taking a keen interest in promoting rice- Pa gri win ', and the area under cultivation is being rapidly extended. New seed is also being procured and it is estimated that in the course of a few years Saigon rice will compare favourably with that of other great rice producing countries of the Far Rast .- Stam Free Press,

THE Japanese Government has been making every effort of late to find ways and means of obtaining more revenue. Vernacular contemporaries state that the sugar monopoly scheme was revived, and the Finance Department had been considering the question based on a prolect framed a few years ago. But finding that opposition still exists in some quarters of the Government, and that the sugar-refining companies are not inclined to be deprived of their business by the Government, the Finance Depertment has abandoned the scheme.

# Telegrams.

Reuter's.

The Trans A lantic Marconigraph. London, soth October

Fourteen thousand words were transmitted across the Atlantic the first day,

Earl Grey and the King exchanged messages; the latter is delighted at the establishment of the trans-Atlantic wireless system as tending to closely unite the bonds between Canada and the Motherland.

The Army in India.

The Standard understands that the Cabinet will shortly discuss the question of the strength of the army in India, the ratification of the Anglo-Russian Treaty leading to the belief that a further reduction of the land forces is possible.

### The Cotton Convention.

At a banquet to the European delegates. of the Cotton Convention in Chicago, Mr. Macara warned American growers that high prices would cripple the country's exports, and force England and France to other countries, and to develop their cotton-growing

> Later. E'estric Storage.

Edison announces, in New York, that he has perfected electric storage battery, by which it is possible to store electricity in bulk without excessive weight. He expects to revolutionise the systems of traction and to cheapen motors.

Cholera in Russia.

8,299 cases of cholera occurred in Russia. between 16th July and 5th instant, of which 3,995 were fatal.

NATIVE AFFAIRS.

RAILWAY LOAN.

[From a Correspondent.]

Canton, 21st October. The following telegrams were received from Peking yesterday:-

The board of Foreign Affairs has decided to raise a Foreign loan of £1,500,000 sterling for the construction of the railways of the Chekiang province, and the members are preparing to memorialize the Throne to that effect,"

KIAOCHOW RAILWAY. H E. Silo Pao ki, Chinese Minister to Berlin, has sent telegraphic representations to Peking protesting against the proposed expansion of the Klaochow-Chinan railway by Germany.

SZE-CHUAN RAILWAYS. sent telegraphic instructions otur H.R. Chao. Erh lang, Acting Viceroy of Sze chuan, orging him to proceed with the speedy construction of the railways in that province and to engage civil engineers to survey the lines without

DR, JEW HOK.

The result of the examinations of students educated in Foreign countries has just been published in Peking. There were three Cantonese among the seventeen candidates who passed with distinction of the first order. Dr. lew Hok, of the Tung Wa Hospital, Hongkong, is one of the fourteen of the second order. Dr. Jew is a native of Sun-ni district in the prefecture of Kwangchow.

## COMMERCIAL

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### SHIPPING AND MAILS

MAILS DUE.

French (Tonkin), 27th inst. German (Prins Ludwig) 29th inst., p.m.

The E. & A. Co.'s s.s. Rastern, from Sydney. left Port Darwin yesterday, for Manila and The Barber Line s.s. Montress from New

York left Singapore on 19th inst., and may be expected to arrive here on 27th inst. The American and Oriental Line s.s. Banding advartised to leave here for New York len Keelung to day and will be ready to receive cargo here on Friday morning.

THE DAYTON MURDEY. CABE Y. R THE PROSECUTION CONCLUDED ADSETTS' NARRATIVE.

The trial of William Hall Adsetts, who is charged with the murder of Gertrude Dayton, was resumed to-day at the Criminal Sessions, before his Honour Mr. Justice Wise and a spēcial jury.

Several policemen were on duty in the building. One, an Indian, stood inside the Cour, at the official entrance and prohibited the entry of the ordinary visitor by that door. Some time before the sitting of the Court the auditorium was comfortably filled, but as the case got into full swing again the building was, practically speaking, crammed.

Punctually at ten o'clock, Police constables Moody and Mills escorted Adsetts to the dock; and remained reated at each side of him until the adjournment for luncheon. Adsetts, unlike yesterday, appeared to have become accustomed to the ordeal. Looking quite pal'id, and with several days' growth of hair on his fice, he stepped firmly into the dock, neither looking here nor there, and took up his position, Throughout the day's proceedings he kept his eyes fixed stendily on the Attorney-General, with now and then a side glance at the staring crowd of speciators."

Immediately, the trial opened . r. Frank Browne, the Government Analyst, was called to the box. He spoke to receiving certain articles from Police Sergeant O's utlivan for examination purposes. He examined the liquids and found them to be harmless. ( n the following day he received from the same officer a piece of ticking and a table cloth, on both he found blood.

The Attorney-Ceneral-Can you speak as to the age of the blood? - It appeared to be quite

Can you form any conclusion as to the marks on the table loth ?- No.

Finger-marks?-They might be. Sir Henry-What do you mehn when you

Bay that the marks on the table cloth were finger prints?- I said "might."

Oh! "might." How old did you say the blood might have been?-Two weeks or two months old.

You said just now, I take it, that the blood stains may have been two months old before your examination?-Yes.

Can you say if the blood was that of a woman?-I-cannot say.

J. W. Oxberry was re-called by Sir Henry Berkeley, who went about to test the witness as to his identification of the prisoner.

"Mr. Oxberry," he began, "where did you first see the prisoner after taking him to the hotel?"

Witness replied in the hotel. But after that?-In the city of Manila.

You went down to Manils to identify the prisoner with the police?-Yes.

Where did you see him there? -! in the Court house.

You identified him in the Court house because he was in charge of some policemen?-No, I did not.

Unconsciously you were led to identify him because he was sitting at the side of his lawyer? -He walked into the Court as an ordinary

Now, wasn't it because this man was under arrest, because you went down with the police to identify a man, that you picked out the prisoper because he was under arrest?-No.

The Attorney General-You have said you saw the prisoner a year before this? -Yes.

Where was this? - In the uniform of a marine

of the U. S. Navy, on board the T ming. J. Lyons, the ex-quartermaster of the steamer Monteagle, took the stand and spoke to recaiving the Stratega trunk on board ship from the pitagner on the alternoon of August 4th He spoke as to the prisoner asking for the trunk to be placed in the hold and of identify.

ing the man in gaol. Sir Henry-It was on the 15th September that you went to identify the prisoner?-- No.

There you see you are wrong. It was the 25th September? - I am not sure as to dates. You are not sure as to dates, but you can be ported the matter to the chief officer. dentify the man?-Yes. ..

When, you went to the gool, what was the prisoner wearing?-I can't say.

You can't say! And you can say what he was wearing when he came and saw you on board ?- I didn't go to identify his clothing. I

went to identify the man. . Precisely. But your identification must have now? been bad. What was the colour of his coat?-

I don't know. What was the colour of his pants?-I don't

The colour of his eyes ?- I don't know.

And you could speak of, and identify this. man-even to the colour of his collar-and the frunk to the Kowloon mortuary. cannot do so at the gaol ?- No. Now, when you went to the gaol the prisoner.

being the tallest man, stood out prominently? -He was sitting down. Wasn't he dirty? - What do you call dirty?

What you call dirty and I call dirty are two different things altogether. (Laughter). But he appeared dirty compared with the

other men?-I don't think sa. . Then what did you go to the gaol for? To

identify this man?. You couldn't do so by his clothing. You said you did not notice the colour of his eyes. Then did you go to identify him by his nose?-Yes,

And what sort of a nose has he?-A prominent nose-same as a ine (laughter), though a triffe larger.

The Cho, the pawnbroker's accountant, followed. He said that a man, looking very much like an Englishman, called at his shop But he coul in't identify him. The Attorney-General-Look around the

Coart and see if that man'is in Court. The witness looked in the direction of the

dock and pointed at the prisoner, "I believe there is some error in the interpretation, your Lordship," observed the Attorney-

General His Lordship-What is the error?

that the same thing occurred at the Police Court: This witness first said that he could not identify the European, but on being asked the man was in Court he pointed to the man in the dock

Continuing; the witness testified as to receiving two diamonds from the prisoner in pawn. Sir Henry-I'put is to you that you remember advancing money for the pledged diamonds, but you cannot remember the person to whom:

it was advanced?-No, that is not so,: Why did you say just now that you could not identify him? -I said I could not make out his nationality.

You were not asked his nationality?- I was. But that was not the reply to the question?-No reply.

.Why were you unwilling to sdmit that other Europeans have pawned diamonds with you since August?-I did not.

You did. You spoke only of watches, I put it to you that you cannot identify the other Europeans who have pawned diamonds with you? -I can't.

You went to the gaol to identify the prisoner? -Yes. He was taller than the other men?-He was

And dirtier?-I cannot say: All I know is that I identified him.

Lui Chee, a foki in the same pawrshop, was

The Attorney-General-You can speak En-Sir Henry-Then he ought to be examined

in English. His Lordship-Then you will break down

everything. Sir Henry-It doesn't matter then.

When the witness spoke as acting as interpreter for the last witness-the accountantand speaking to the Europeau, who was attempting to pawn two dam nds, his Honour said that this conversation could be given bythe witness in English.

The witness proceeded to explain, in English, that the prisoner wanted S70-for the pair of diamonds; that the last witness offered \$50 only; that the prisoner said he would not pawn for \$50; but that he later accepted \$55.

Sir Henry-You say you have been employed in an American ship-where you learnt your English-and you said the prisoner looked like an Englishman?-Yes,

And from his accent you thought him an Englishman?-Yes.

You have been employed on an American ship, where you would become acquainted with the American accent, and yet you say he was an Englishman? - He had an American

Ah! Ah! Now you say he was an Americal by his accent? - Yes. He spuke like an American, but he looked like an Englishman. "That's a very belated explanation," Si

flenry rejoined. "I put it to you," began Sir Henry, "that you had a conversation with Li Cho-the pawnb oker's accountant-after his identification

and before yours?-No, I did not. The Attorney-General-Now, you were asked to discriminate between the English and the American. Can you tell me what nationality-1 am-English and American?-I won't

hazird a guess. Sir Henry-Alf white men look alike to a trial in this Court. Chinaman? -It is very difficult to distinguish between an Englishman and an American. from Manila on the 9th August, and was now White.

They are all white people. which they compared with the signature on the ceased lived in the States, China and Manila.

Hotel regi ter. While this was going on Adsetts paid only | prisoner? - Yes.

spasmodic attention. Occasionally he glanced in the direction of the jury and at times a slight smile curled on his lip. This concluded, Rasmus Sorensen, the car-

penter of the Monte wie, took the stand. On the 7th August last he noticed a smell and some blood or zing from the baggage room Witness reported to the chief officer and secured the keys of the room. Then he got some tools and, locating the trunk from which the blood flowed. he forced the lid and found a bod .. He then

Sir Henry-You are unable to say positively if that, is the same trunk in which you found the body? - I can't say.

. The Attorney-General-Well, then just have s look at the lack, where you forced it open. This witness did.

His Lordship-Well, what have you to say | body.?-No. Witness-That lock is forced in the same

way I for ed the lock of the trunk in which I found the body.

Police Sergeant Watt, of Funghom Police Station, was called on board the Monteagle and gold filled. soon after the finding of the body. He removed

montuary ?-In a cart. Did you accompany the cart ?-Yes. Did you keep the cart in sight?-I did.

The waistband has been washed, has it not? Dayton? - No. -It appears so.

It was soiled when you took it off the body? | to an opinion. Do you still adhere to your statement that allow it.

Josie Marshall just had a look at the body and identified it as that of Centrude Dayton ?-Yes The Attorbey-General-What do. you mean by "just" had a look?

Sir Henry-There is only one meaning to of Ohio.

The / troiney-General-How long did it | ing to find Miss Dayton bere?-That's so. take her?-As long as I take to answer the

Ben Fell, a clerk in the American Consulate at Chef'o, said he met the prisoner at a bar at Chefoo in spring last, ,Witness next saw him in the Consulate under arrest, and saw various articles taven from his person and from his travelling bag. On every article but one, the witness thought, was engraved the word "Ger-

Two passage tickets, found on the prisoner, were shown to the witness, who, on examination, stated that the word " Mis." on one of the

Sir Henry -1 am instructed, your Lordship, Lickels had been altered to read "Mr." The tickets, which were issued by the Boston S.S. Company, were originally made out in the name of "Mrs. Maille." One-was a passage from Manila to Tacoma and the other a rail way transfer from Tacoma to New York.

Sir Henry-What is the suggestion of the alteration of the word " Mrs." on the ticket Does it convey anything to your mind? - No.

What possible object could there he in the alteration? The word "Mrs." on passage tocket from Manila to Tacoma has not been altered; only the railway transfer. How do you make that out?-I have already said that I have no suggestion to offer.

The passage ticket was for the steamer Shawmut, leaving Manila on the 3rd August?

The prisoner was in Hongkong on the 4th?

That forfeited the ticket?-Yes.

Sir Henry then wanted to know why the Attorney-General had brought in the evidence regarding the passage-tickets when there was nothing in it. " Getting no answer, and. satisfying himself that there was no charge in them, Sir Heary then produced certain U.S. Government documents in which Adsetts was mentioned as doing certain acts of gallantry during

the war in the Philippines. Sir Henry-Is it not a fact that Adsetts signified his willingness to surrender provided he was given adequate trial?-Yes.

Is it not a fact that an American cannot be extradited from a Treaty port of China?

His Lordship-The case of Jackson's? Sir Henry-Yes, your Lordship, (To the one, however. witness)-I say that there is no power to take

Adsetts away from Chefoo. Is it not so? intention of interrupting his learned friend, but his question was quite irrelevant. The charge

against the prisoner was one of murder. Sir Henry replied that his friend had misapprehended his question. He had no intention, when putting the question, of raising that point. The question he wanted to raise was the conduct of the prisoner, who could not be removed from Chefoo against his will: He came voluntarily.

The Attorney-General observed that if Sir, enry proceeded on the lines of cross-exmination he would have to re-examine the witness to show that the prisoner did not come

voluntarily. Sir Henry-Not after he had received this lette- (a letter from the British Consul, stating, t was alleged, that the prisoner would get competent lawyers in Hongkong).

The Attorney-General-Yes, after that. Mrs. May Hemstead was then re-called and asked to state by Sir Henry what she knew of Gertrude Dayton leaving Manila "in a hurry," with the insurance money belonging to the Booth woman, which she aid shortly, and this brought the Court to the tiffin adjournment,

THE AFTERNOON SESSION. Police-constables Unwin and Spear stood guard over Adsetts when the trial resumed after the recess. He was looking more refreshed when he returned to the dock and conversed freely with the officers near him. The call of Josie Marshall to the stand opened the afternoon session. The crowd that attended was the largest since the o ening of the

Josia Marshall'said she arrived in the Colony residing at 18, Hollywood Road She knew Here the jury asked for the signature of the Gertrude Dayton very well for four years. prisoner given on a chit to the pawnbroker, During the time that she knew her the de- Yes. . The Attorney-General-Do you know the

For how long? -Since July last. Where was it you saw him first?-At the

Hotel France. You and Miss Dayton were s'aying at the

Hotel France?-Yes. Miss Dayton left Manila?-She left on 31st' July, by the Eastern.

the same boat. You told me you arrived here on 9th Aug. You did not know she was dead until your

arrival?-Yes. You were taken to the Colonial Cemetery, were you not ?-Yes.

What did you see?-The body of Gertrude. Hid you any difficulty in identifying the

You told us you know Gertrude Dayton very | 6 ft. 41 in. well. Was there anything about her that could have to'd you it was her?-Yes, by her teeth,

arms and fingers. What was the matter with her teeth !- Large

And her fingers?-Long, with white nails." Was there anything about the arms?-Yes. Sir Henry-How was the box taken to the they were peculiarly-haped arms - rather

> Have you anything to doubt that the body you saw was other than that of Gertrude the Bible, and kissed it. ... Sir Henry maintained that a doubt amounted | der of Gertrude Dayton. Did you kill her?-

"His Lordship-At any rate I am going to

The witness was then called upon to identify the deceased woman's jewels and fourteen \$100 Postal Orders nade out in the name of Mrs. Margaret Hooper-Gerirude Dayton's sister-

Sir Henry-You came to Hongkong expect-

You were told on arrival she was dead?-Yes. could not identify the face?-Yes. You were taken to see if you could?-Yes:

Being unable to identify the features you identified her by long fingers, pointed nails?-And I take it, Miss Mirshall, that you know

many other girls with long fingers and pointed na'ls?-Yes, And I think there are a lot-or mostly all. American girls-have gold-filled teeth?-Yes.

Going back to before Miss Dayton left Manila. Did you see her off to the ship?—No. So you were only told that she was leaving for Hongkong?-Yes.

So, as a matter of fact, you do not know Miss Dayton left Manila?-No. Now, coming to the postal o ders. Wasn't NO. 11, SEYMOUR ROAD. one left with you?-Yes.

And have you cashed it ?-No. How did you come by it? - It was left with me to see if I could cash it.

Now, about the insurance money. Didn't Gertrude Dayton appropriate some insurance money belonging to Miss Booth ?- That I can't

But she left Manila because she was afraid. of being prosecuted?-Yes.

And that was why she left Manile on the Bastern instead of on the Shawmut? -Yes. The Attorney-General - Do . you know if Adsella

Sir Henry-Excuse me, my friend must confine himself to the cross-examination. His Lordship-But I have only heard half o

the question. Sir Henry-You have heard a quarter, and in that the name of Adsetts was mentioned. never mentioned that name.

The Attorney-General said he wanted to know if Adsetts know the Booth woman as there was some mystery behind that. His Lordship allowed the question.

The witness replied that she had heard Adsetts speak of the Booth woman. Sir Henry said be did not want to press his objection. He would make a technical

Francis Gomes, passenger clerk, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, spoke to prisoner pur-The Attorney-General said that he had no chasing a passage from him by the Tosa Maru. Sir Henry-Was he the only passenger to book by the Tora Maru?-No. There was a

> Did you think you could identify every passenger you booked since August?-Yes. Do you think you could identify all the passengers you booked for the last two months?-

Have you ever booked to passengers mouth ?-Yes.

. Five hundred? -More than that, in And do you know what you have undertaken to do?-No.

You have under aken by your statement to identify 5,000 people ?-Witness smiled. 'You ree," added S r Henry, " that you have answered my questions too lightly."

A few more questions were put to the witness on the subject of his identification of the prisoner, which he answered straightforwardly, and he was excused. -

The next witness was Detective Sergeant O'Sullivan. He spoke to searching Room, 184 of the Hangkong Hotel, finding the clothing, among them the blood-stained matters and table-cloth, and bringing the prisoner back from Manila.

Sir Henry-You say that the bed was in order when you entered the room on 9th Aug.? -I:first went icto the room on the 8th. . Was the bed in order?-Yes. " Describe what you mean by the bed being

in order? Was there a sheet on the bed?-Pillows?-Yes. With the cases on?-Yes.

--- And were they soiled?-- No. You are well acquainted with the town?-

What colour was the sheet and pillows?-

Are their camphor-wood firms near the Hongkong Hutel?-Ves. Do you know the camphor-wood shop at

Wanchai?- I never went inside of it. Do you know where Wanchai is?-Yes. Is it far or near the town? About three-

quarters of a mile away. P. P. J. Wodehouse, deputy Superintendent Do you know of your own knowledge when of the Hongkong Police, gave evidence to being present when the virious witnesses identified, or failed to identify, the prisoner-Do you know when the prisoner left?-By among a number of other men. In cross-examination he said that the prisoner at his first appearance for identification was dirty, It

> not wearing a collar and neckt's while the to take home. The prisoner again went into other men were wearing them. But it might! details after their return to the hotel and of have been so.

John Hanson, chief detective inspector, said that one of the other prisoners who was ranged up with accused for identification measured

Sir Henry-Six feet four Witness-Howas an extraordinarily tallman. You are aware that Mr. Wodehouse said at the Magist acy that the prisoner, who is 6ft.

high, was the tallest man ?-Yes, ... Why did you not call the Magistrate's attention to that fac: ?-- No answer. That was the case for the prosecution,

ADSETTS IN THE BOX. William Hall Adsetts, facing the judge, took Sir Henry-You are charged with the mur-

No. I did not. Did you know the woman?-Yes.

.Did you come here with her ?-1 did. "Now tell your story in your own way." voice: - I arrived at Manila on July 17th, having arrived there on the Alexandria-a United States collier. On arrival at Manila I stopped at the Hotel France, and there I met Miss Dayton and Miss Marshall. Miss Dayon he did not know if she had done it herself I had slightly been acquainted with; Miss Marshall I did not know. One week after the body. He then referred to taking and the body was so decomposed that you my arrival Miss Dayton and Miss Marshall were the trunk to Mesers. Butterfield and Swire's in their room. I was there also. A woman offices, then changing his mind, and taking it named Booth came to the hotel and to the on board the bionteagle, but he denied emroom of Miss Marshall and Miss Dayton. phatically having attempted to throw it into Miss Booth asked Miss Dayton to sign some the harbour. "The rest of the story," Adsetts papers, relating to a house at 92, Calle Alejandro and also papers for the insurance. She said she wanted the money as: the house was burned down." Proceeding, the prisoner said that Miss Dayton signed the papers relating to the house, but refused to

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sign the insurance papers. There was

a discussion between the three women, which ended in Miss, Marshall ordering Miss. Booth to leave the hotel. Miss Booth refused, whereupon Miss Marshall called the manager and, pointing to Miss Booth, said: "Get that woman out of here before I hurt her." Miss Booth left without further trouble. That same afternoon be met Miss Booth out riding and she asked him to try and get Miss Dayton to meet her slone. He told her it was no use, and Miss. Booth became angry and said :-"Well, she (Dayton) got my money and I am going to get in If I don't I'll get even with her" After a long preamble, Adsetts said, Miss Dayton got frightened, having been told by a lawyer named O'Brien to got out of town, and she decided to leave. He then spoke of his arrival in Hongkong IT IS ALL SCOTCH AND THE BEST OF with the woman and putting up at the Hongkong Hotel, he having in his possession Miss Dayton's jewels, which she was afcaid to carry, and the Post Office orders. On the afternoon of August 3rd-the day of their arrival-he and Miss Dayton went for a ricksha drive along the the Praya East, and in a shop along that drive was not very noticeable, but witness noticed Miss Dayton saw some camphor-wood trunks, it. He did not recollect that the prisoner was and signified her intention of purchasing one what they did. That night while they were going "up the street," a man stopped Miss Dayton outside the hotel. Miss Dayton told the prisoner not to go too lar. He moved off: and heard the stranger speaking to Miss Day. ton in a very excited tone. Then they went to several houses and had much wine. He scarcely remembered leaving that part of the town, or returning to the hotel. Next morning he swoke in a house in Ship Street. He left the place quickly, and quietly-be did not wish to be seen-and while looking for a ricksha to take him back to the hotel he saw some camphor-wood trunks, and remembering Miss Dayton wanted one, he bought one for her as a peace-offering for staying out. When he returned to the hotel he found Miss Dayton's body on the hed. He was almost knocked speechless. 1,000 thoughts seemed to run through his head at once. He tried to remember what had happened, but he could not. He had formed a biassed opinion against Adsetts faced the jury and began, in a strong | the Hongkong police authorities and as everything seemed against him he was afraid to repoit the matter. He then placed the body in a trunk and covered it with two towels. He could not think who had done the foul deed--and so he decided to get rid of

> Sir Hepry-is that all you have to say? Adsetts-Yes. The Court then adjourned until ten o'clock

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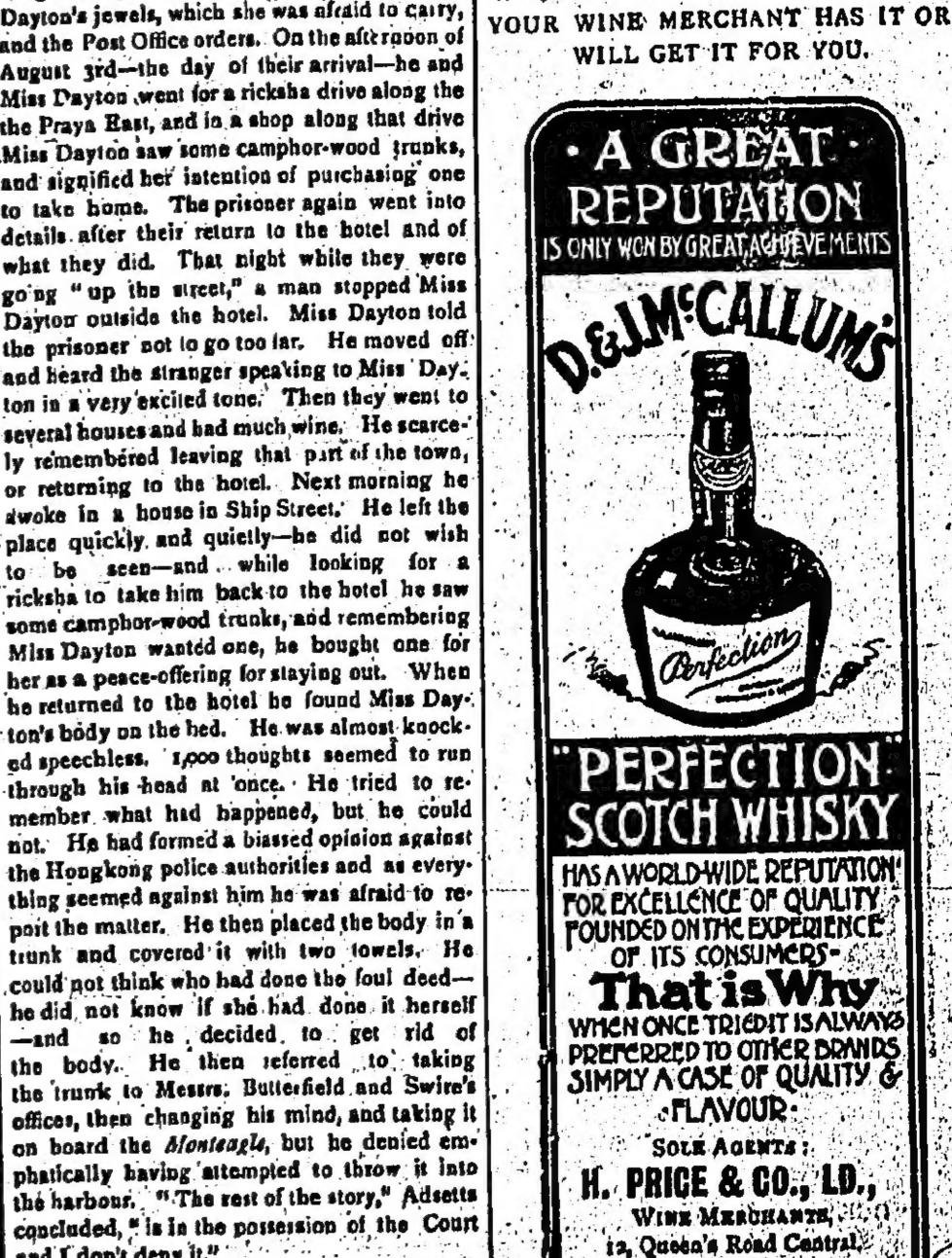
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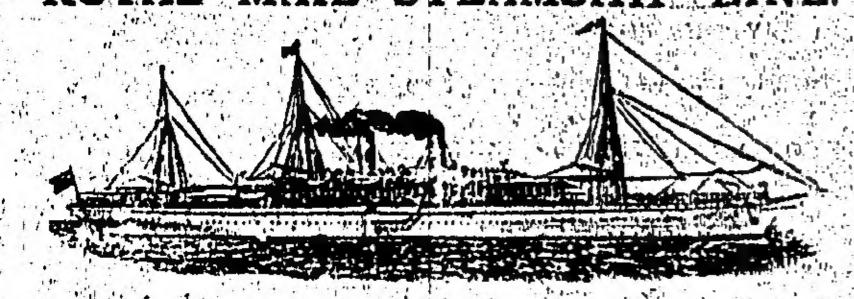
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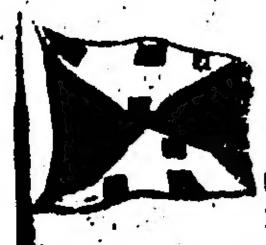
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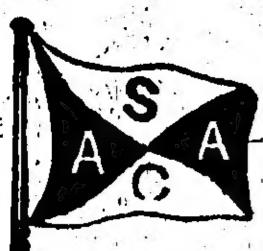
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Gentlemen's Shirts made to order, and Cuffs and Collars renewed on old ones. I adies and Children's Under-clothing, Children's Dresses, and all kinds of Embroidery,

Materials can be supplied, if required. The Superioress will also be most grateful for any PAPER, or old ENVELOPES to be made into Books for the Children of the Poor Schools, who are taught by the Sisters:

Hooghose, stad April, 1893.

THE SHANGHAL WIXED COUR

It has been known for some time that it Senior Magistrate of the Mixed Court would shortly be promoted to a higher post and in order to secure contibuity in the work and iraditions of the Court his successor has been en gaged on the Beach for the last few months. As has already been appounced Mr. Kuan bas now received his appointment as Sob Prefect of Haimen in this Province, and Mr. Pao Yi becomes Senior Magistrate. Those who have been called upon to follow closely, the work of the Mixed Court will feel year gret at the prospect of losing Mr. Kush; who has shown ability and tact during his tenure of office. Under his regime the first serious allempt has been made to improve the purely native side of the Court. Instead of being ignored or tacitly encouraged, corruption among the mino officials has (requently been punished, and in order to remove as far as possible its causes, the runners of the Court are now pold. At the sime time the relations between the Magistrates and the Assessors have been better than ever before, and there has been a disposition on the part of the former to accept small modifications in the matter of procedure, where clearly add vantageous, rather than to block them merely because they did not originate with them? selves. To Mr. Pao Yi the community may look confidently not only to continue the satis-[44] factory era inaugurated by Mr. Kuan, but also to improve upon it as time goes on. It will take longer than Mr. Kuan's brief tenure of office to eliminate bribery and corruption altogether from the conduct of the Court's affairs, but with a fixed resolve on the part of the Bench a short period should suffice to confine

it within the narrowest limits.

Not the least service rendered by Mr. Kuan to the cause of the proper administration of justice in the Mixed Court is the codification of certain rules of procedure that have come to [886] be recognized as " established practice ! in the Court. These rules, which were published in the last Municipal Minutes, were drawn up by the Senior Magistrate in response to a request from the Waiwupu'to be informed on the subject of the so-cal ed established practice of the Court. For five years the question of amending the regulations of the Mixed Court has been before the Diplomatic Bed, in Paking and the Chinese Government, and for the last two years, as may be gathered from the Annual Report of the Municipal [54 | Council for 1905, a set of eleven, new rules has been receiving the spasmodic attention of the Waiwupu. Seven months ago it seemed probable that these new regulations would at last be promulgated; but the necessity of securing recognition for "established procedure" caused their ratification by the Central Government to be postponed again. After due deliberation the Waiwupu has consented to find out the precise significance of this phrase, and we may hope that the Magistrate's reply, when one misunderstanding in it has been cleared away, will convince that body of the wisdom of the insertion of the phrase in the new regulations. The misunderstanding, in question is the confusion that has arisen between the words "orders" and "judgments." owing to a wrong translation of the former word into Chi iese, From the extract taken from "The Universal Gazette" of July 29 last it will be seen that the orders referred to are warrants, summonses and the like, and not decisions of the Court as supposed by Mr. Kuan. The point, however, is not important, as the Magistrate concedes subsequently a portion of the British Minister's contention with regard to warrants and summonses."

A glance at the rules enumerated by Mr. Cuan will show the importance of having the traditional procedure of the Mixed Court form. ally, recognized in any attempt to draw up new regulations; especially as these mew regulations do not pretend to be a complete codification of rules for the guidance of the Court, but merely an instalment calculated to assist its technical working. It will be noted that certain points which from time to time have been challenged by Magistrates are now. clearly set forth as incorporated in the recognized procedure. The list, it is true, is not complete, but it is a satisfictory beginning. In clause VI it is stated that "guarantees, inquiry niders and others require to Confolar signature and no joint action by Police" On this point we believe Mr. Koan has allowed himself to be misled, as the reasons that prompt the joint action of the Police in the case of warrants and summonses, hold good equally for subpoenss, and juquiry rrders. Afatherer have been freegularities in this respect in the past, it is to be hoped that no time will be lost in correcting them under the new regime. W. C. D. News.

THE NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ANNUAL REPORT.

Report for presentation at the fourth ordinary general meeting of shareholders, to he held at the offices of the company, No. 10, The Bund. Shanghai, on uesday, the and O tober 1907,

The directors beg to submit, for the information of shareholders, the annexed dely. audited statement of the Company's arc unts

to the 30th June, 1907 19 6.—The balance at credit of this account is Taels 161 959. 6. and after deducting an interim dividend of 71 per cent, aggregating Table 25,941,95, paid on the 1st May last, there remains a sum of Taels 13 or3.41, which the directors recommend should be appropriated in the following manner :-

A final dividend of 71 per cent on the paid-up capital. A bonus of 15 per cent. upon contributory

And the balance to be transfered to underwrites ing reserve account clasing the account for

As outstanding risks have been employ off satisfactorily, it is proposed to transfer fig.000

from underwriting reserve account to the permanent s'erling reserve, thereby bringing this fund up to £125,000.

1907. The balance at credit of working ac-Count to 3 th June amounts to Table 204,424.45 Directors .- In accordance with the provisions of the articles of association the directors all ratire, but being eligib'e, offer themselves for re-election.

Audit,-The accounts have been audited by Mr. Hayter, Mr. Wingrove being absent on legve.

Mossrs, Wingrove and Hayter again tender their services to the shareholders. By Order of the Court of Directors.

WM. GEO. BAYNE, Secretary.

Shanghai, toth October, 1907.

### Shipping.

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Mails and Gen .- M. & Co. Japan, Br. s s., 3,8 6, J. G. Olifent, 22nd Oct,

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Volute, Br. s.s., 2,598, E. Stott, 22nd Oct.,-Balik Papan 13th Oct , Bulk. Petroleum .-A , K. & Co.

Chiyuen, Ch. s.s., 1,477, C. Stewart, 22nd Oct., -Canton 21st Oct., Gen.-C. M. S. N. Co.

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-Samarang (Java) 13th Oct., Sugar, Cotton and Ground nuts .- J. C. J. L. Gulf of Venice, Br. s.s., 1,883. R. J. Orkney, 22nd Oc.,-Manila toth Oct., Sleepers .--

D. & Co., Ld. Petchaburi, Ger. s.s., 1,373, C. Wolff, 22nd Oct.,-Bangkok and Swatow 21st Oct. Rice,-M. & Co.

### Clearances at the Harbour.

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Per Rubl, from Manila-Rev. Blake, Blahap Clement, Rev. Cardozo, Bishop Velusco, Rev. de Maria, Bishop Pozzoni, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Clarke and 7 children, Miss A. Williams, Mrs. Antonio Man, Miss Rosa Garcia, Messra T. F. Savage, T. F. Carter, H. R. Cates, M. H. Thomas Miss E. M. Shaw, Mrs. V. Johnson, Messes. Borselli, J. C. Thom, S. Weingarten, Gostinago, Willing, Dr. Merchant, Mr Rockledge, Miss G. Merril, Paymaster Barber U S.N., Mr. and Mrs. Squires, Mr. and Mrs. Beatter, and Mr. B. Felt.

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### VESSELS IN PORT

Acara, Br. s.s., 3,174, Wm. Hume, 18th Oct .--New York 27th Aug., Case Oil .- S. O. Co. Bourbon, France, coo. Le Bail, 19th Oct.,-Saigon igth O t, Gen .- Man Fat & Co. Empire, Br. s.s., 2,843, P. T. Helms, 2 st

Oct.,-Kobe 16th Oct., Gen.-G., L. & Co. Empress of India, Br. s.s., 3,032, E. Bastham, R.N.R., 22nd Sept.,-Vancouver, (B.C.) 3rd Sept, and Shanghal 19th, Flour, Mails and Gen .-- C. P. R. Co.

Empress of Japan, Br. s.s., 3,039, Henry Pybus, B.M.R., 20th Oct.,—Vancouver 1st Oct, and Shanghai 18th, Mails and Gen. ---C, P. R. Co.

Frithjof, Nor. s.s., 891, O. Anderson, 30th Oct. Frechow 18th Oct., Gen .- O. S. K. Hailan, Fr. s.s., 377, L. Andarsen, 21st Oct .-Hoihow woth Oct., Gen, WA. B. M,

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18th, and Kwong-chow wan 19th, Gen.-Koren, Am. s.s. 5,651, S. Sandberg, 21st Oct., -San Francisco 74th Sept., and Shangbal 18th Oct., Mails and Gen .- P. M. S S. Co. Kumsang, Br. a.s., 2,078, E. J. Buller, reth

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Luchow, Br. s.s., 1,216, Baddeley, 18th Oct., --- Canton 17th Uct., Gen.-B. & S. Mercedes, Br. s.s., 3, ob, J. S., McGregor, 21st

ept.,-Weibalwei oth Sept., Ballast.-Michael Jebsen, Ger. s.s., 951, H. Bendixen, zist Oct .- Hollow Joth Oct . Rice and Pigs,-J. & Co.

Monteagle, Br. s.s., 3,953, S. Robinson, R.M.R. 18th Oct.,-Vancouver soth Sept., and Shanahai 15th Oct., Flour, Balmon, Milk and Gen: -C. P. R. Co. Mortlake, Br. s.s.; 1,737, F. W. Batten, 19th Oct.,-Fremantle, (West Australia) and Oct., Sindul Wood .--- Mr. Simpson.

Numantia, Gen. s.s., 184, H. Feldtmann, 18th Oct.,-Portland, Or. 10th Sept., Gen.-P. & A. S. S. Co. Onsang, Br. s.s., 1,787. R. Cox, 21st Cct.,-

Mofi 15th Oct., Coal. - J., M. & Co. Oriel, Br. s.s., 2,20%, G. Maddrell, zeth Oct ,-Kuchinotzu 14th Oct., Coal.-B. & Co. Orland, Nor. s.s., 9 7, T. A Lie, 10th Oct.,-Rajang, (Borneo), 4th Oct., Timber .-

Wallem & Co. Yokohama 12th Oct, an I Shanghai 19th, Paklat, Ger. e.s., 1,018, F. Wenzel, 17th Oct, -Bangkok 10th Oct., Rice and Gen.-II

Soshu Maru, Jap. s.s., 1,119, T. Suiuga, 15th Oct. - Shanghai 8th Oct., Cen. -O. S. K. Standard, Nor. s.s., 891, H. N. Bull, 5th Oct ,-Saigan 30th Sept., Rice.-Angaard, Thoresen & Co.

Taiwan, Br. s.s., 1,04°, J. A. Martin, 9th Oct., -Saigon.4th Oct., Gen,-Chinese, Tolv. Nor. s.s., -40, E. Jacobsen, 24th Sept.,-Hangkok 1'th Sept., Rice.-Wallem & Co. Tosa Maru, Jap. s.s., 5,821, J. Nagao, 20th Oct ,-Seattle, Wash., U.S.A., v.a Japan China and Shanghai 17th Oct., Flour and

Cotton Yarn, &c .- N. Y. K. Zoroaster, Br. s.s., 2,375, J. Ewan, 5th Sept .-Xmas Island jrd Sept., Phosphale Rock. -M B. K.

SAULING VERKER. Eclipse, Br. 4-ma-ted back, 2,468, L. D. Vance, 20th Sept., -Canton 19th Sept., Ballast,-

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CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR PARCEL NAILS, HOMEWARD.

Parcels for the United Kingdom-VIA GIBRALTAR-posted up to 5 p.m. on Friday, the 1st November, are due in London about the 7th of December, and those posted up to 5 p.m. on Friday, the 15th November, are due. in London on the 21st December.

With an additional fee of 60 cents, parcels may be forwarded VIA BRINDISI and if posted before 5 pm. on the 15th November, would accompany the letter mail, due in London on the 16th December.

Parcels intended for New Year's delivery should also be forwarded by the mail of the 15th November, as the next parcel mail of 29th November is not due in London till the 4th-January, 1908, unless they are posted to be forwarded overland VI & BRINDISt, in which case an additional fee of to cents must be paid, such parcels are due in London about the 30th

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Adams, P. R.	Logan, W.	Case, Major and Mrs.	
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Birbeck, R. J.	McIntosh G. C.	G, H,	Pescock, Miss Annie
Bishey, S.	Moore, R. S.	Davenport, Mrs. 5. S.	Reiber, G.
Bispey, Miss	Menill, Miss G.	Delaney, L. S.	Raber, Capt. W.
Bloppt, Mrs. A. S.	Merchant, Dr. B. B.	Dutten, Mis W. J.	Scott, Mrs. James
Broadway, W.	McKenzie, C. A.	Dutten, Mise	Scott, Master G.
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Brayfield, T.	Newborn, R. H.	Gildebaus, G.	Sanorel, Mr. and Mrs.
Barber, S. E.	Ortis, Mr. and Mrs. and	Gray, Capt. 8.	A. J.
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	Peabody, Miss M. E. H.	Hesper, Dr.	Silverstone, Mr. & Mri
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Carpenter, R. W.	Preshaw, C. M.	Ingenobl, C. Jack, Mrs. C. M.	Smith, Mrs. A. G.
Carter, A.	Pugh, A. J.	Jorge, Mr. and Mrs. P.	
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Cruickshank, j.	Ralpha, E.	Kalad, Capt, F.	Stevenson, LtComdr.
Curry, George	Ray, E. H.	Katsch, E. A. Lapisque, Capt. P. A.	and Mrs. E. Spinogli, A. K.
Calder, J. R. L.	Rosethal, J.	Lawrence, Miss M.	Taytor, C.
Duer, Major and Mrs.	Spittles, J.	Marshall, J.	Vlavennos, Capt. G.
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Fisher, H. G.	Shaw, Miss E. M. Squires, Mr. & Mrs. G.		N.
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Hockaday, W. T.

Wilson, Dr. & Mrs. N.

KOWLOOM. Albrecht, Mr. Richardson, Mr. & Mrs. Aushorn, F. H. T. and children Harding, Reginald Tuke, I.M.S., Capt, and Murcheson, Mrs. Mrs. A. Rewbein, W. Zweiger, Mr. and Mrs. and children Steffens, J. C.

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straca	cruiser, and class	4,360	10	7,000	Captain C. L. Vaughan-Lee	Hongkong
Bedford	cruiser, 1st class	9,500	14	32,000	Captain S. E. Breking	Hongkong
Bramble	river gunboat	710	6	1 000 -	LieutCommander E. G. W. Davidson,	Shanghai
1-11-1-1	river gunbost	710	6	900	Lieut-Commander W. L. Bamber	en route Yangise
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01 L 4	water tank and tug ,,,	390	_	300		Hongkong
	sloop	1,270	6	1,400 .	Commander C. D. S. Raikes	Hongkong
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ling a man	ori≠do heat destroyer	275	6	4,000	LieutCommander W. H. Darwall	Hongkong
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ling Alfred Policy and	cruiser, ist class	14,100	- A - I	37,000	LieutCommander Percy Crabtree	Yangtse
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Merlin ije ee	surveying ship ,,, ,,,	2.2	. 6	1,400		
Monmouth,,	croiser, 111 class	1.0	14	32,000	Captain J. A. Tuke	Hongkong
loo hen	river guabout		_3	800	LieutCommander Robert E, Vaughan.	
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Robin iei	river gunboat	85	2	140	LieutCommander C. C. Walcott	West River
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hips	river gunboat	85	2	240	LieutCommander S. H. Tennyson	
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Achéron	armoured gunboat	1,721	1 1	1,000	Lieut Du Merle	
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dger	The second secon	-		400	Commander Kerihuel	
loueite	river gunboat		6	1,150	Lieut. Audouard	
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lettik	gunboat		12	900	Lieut, Le Blanc	Y'tse kiang (6'ha
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### SHARE QUOTATIONS.

	Supplied by Messrs. E. S	. KADOOR	IR & CO	Corre	cled to noon; is	ter alterations give	en under "Commercial Intelligence," page	1 82 108 . 6	
	STOCKS.	NO. OF	VALUE.	PAID UP.	POSITION AS PER	AT WORKING ACCOUNT.	LAST DIVIDEND.	PROTINATE STURN AT PRESENT POTATION. SED ONEAST	CLOSING QUOTATIONS.
	BANKS.	11 h	es v					ZAN'S DIV.	(\$665 sales)
	Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation	PO,000 40,000	5125 \$125	\$125 \$125	\$12,740,000 \$250,000	\$1,797,167	{ £1.15/- for 1-year ending 30.6.07 @ ex }	4\$.%	\$565sa.newissub London £77.10/-
	National Bank of China, Limited:	09,925	£1	£6	{ (12,735) \$300,000}	571,293	\$2 (London 3/6) for 1903	3.4 	\$51
. •	MARINE INSURANCES.	10,000	1250	\$50	\$ \$1,675,000}	\$233,638	\$20 (or 1905	71 2	\$270
	North China Insurance Company, Limited	10,000	Lis	Ls	\$200,000 {410,000} Tis. 100,000	Tls. 185,529	{Interim of 7/6 for account 1906 @ ex }	6 X	Tls. 75 sales
1	North China Insurance Company, Limited	A sure la			( Tis. 50,000)	. Spirit in the second			
1	Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited	2 400	f250"	\$100	£70,000 ( \$456,407 ) £125,137.15/-	1 460 4 0	{Final of \$12 making \$42 for 1905 and} {interim of \$37 to: 1906	51 %	5765 buyers
		4	\$100		\$817,028 \$810,000 \$136,287	F461,467		18 18 18 5 334	C.A. anna
	Yangtere Insurance Association, Limited	or 1 1		\$60	\$15,527	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	11 for year ending 31.12. 5		\$165 sellers
	China Fire Insurance Company, Limited	3	\$100	\$50 \$50	\$320,449 } \$7,616 } \$1,256,483	\$362,980 \$435,236	\$6 and bonus \$2 for 1005	6.50	\$86 sales \$300 buyers
	Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited		\$25	S25	\$7,000	5365	\$1 'or 1966	1 1 1 m	SIS buyers
	China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited Douglas Steamship Company, Limited	30,000	\$50	Sso	\$264,638 \$96,988 \$350,000	Nil.	\$4 for year en ing 10.5.19.7	100	\$371
	Hongkong, Canton & Macao Steamboat Co., Ld	°D,000	\$15	\$15	186,989	127,101	\$1 for 1st half-year ending 30.6.07	71 %	\$27 buyers
	Indo-China Steam Navigation Cc., Ld. (Preferred)	6 000	15	£5	{ (62,000)	13,694	5/- for 1906 @ ex 2/21-\$2.24 per share	3 <del>1</del> %	\$41 sellers \$29 sellers
	Do. do. (Deferred)) Shanghai Tug and Lighter Company, Limited (Preference)		Tts. 50	Tis. 50	Tis. 54,372 { £400,000}	1 la. 13,327	Interim of Tis. 14 for account 1907	1. 44 A.:	Tis. 45 sales Tis. 48 buyen
	"Shell" Transport and Tracing Company, Limited	1,000,000	£1 - \$10	(10	\$65,000	172,370	Interim of 1/- (Coupon No. 8 for a/c 1907)  \$1.00 for year ending 30.4.1907	1, 1	\$3/- sellers \$21 buyers
r	" Star " Ferry Company, Limited	10,000	fto	<b>.</b> \$5	\$32,957 } Tis, 98,000			C 41 %	S10} buyers
	Taku Tug and Lighter Company, Limited	. ,000	Tls. 50	°1-, ço		18,730	Final of Tis. 2 making Tis. 6 for 1906	12 <u>1</u> (	Tls 48 buyers
	REFINERIES.  China Sugar Refining Company, Limited	20,000		-4100	2450,000	9,218	18 for year ending 31.12.05	71 7	1105
	Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited	7,000	\$100 Tis, 50	\$100 Fis. 50	none	T Is. 8,935	\$2 for 1802		\$21 Tis. 871 buyers
i	Perak Sugar Cuntivation Company, Limited	4				11	4 /o /o/ rot year epuring \$1.0.00 territor	71 4	- Ja Duyon
	Chinese Engineering and Mining Company, Ld		Lr	13,	£110,000		Interim of 1/6 for a/c year ending 28.2.07	4 %	Tis. 15.30 sales
	Raub Australian Gold Mining Company, Limited	\$0,000 S	25	L	£4.873	/1. Z11,358	No. 12 of 1/-=48 cents		<b>5</b> 9
	Docks, WHARVES & GODOWNS. Fenwick (Geo.) & Co., Limited	18,000	\$25	525	!64,124	\$10,335	\$1.75 for year ending 31,12,06	11 2	\$16
				50	(000,000		Interim of \$2 for six months ending June	1 (20) 3 Per 1	
	Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld.,		\$50		\$ 123,152 \$30,000 \$ 100,000		30th +007		\$103 sellers
	Hon, kong and Whampon Dock Company, Ld Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ld		T15. 100		\$60,000	15. 10.450		M	Tis. 73 sales
	Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Company, Limited	. 56,000	Tis. 100	15. 100	Tis. 100,000	Tls. 23,227	Interim of Tis. 8 for account 1907	. 9 %	Tis. 200 sellers
	LANDS, HOTELS & BUILDINGS.				Tis. 75,000.			1,	
	Anglo-French Land Investment Co., Ld	10,000	Tis. 100 \$25	Tir. 100 \$25 \$15	130,000	\$10,908	Tis. 6 for 141 months ending 28.2.07	91 %	Tis. 103 sellers \$23 sellers \$14
	Central Stores, Limited	7,000	\$15 \$50	\$50	\$1,000 \$648,975 \$6,075	10,925	4 for 1st half-year ending 30.6.07	10 %	1100 buyers
	Hongkong Land investment and Agency Co., Ld., Humphreys Estate & Finance Company, Limited	-1 50,000-		\$100	\$250,000 \$208,386 \$50,000	ST1 -60-	Interim of \$3) for half year ending 30.6.07  80 cents for 1906		\$10 <b>}</b>
	Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited			\$30 Tis, 50	rone Tis. R69,493	\$1,089	Interim of Tls. 3 for account 1907		S36. Tis. 100 buyers.
	West Point Building Company, Limited		Tis. 50	\$50	1 Tis. 170,000	7 is. 61,978 \$1,519	Interim of \$2 for half year ending June 30t		
-	COTTON MILLS.  Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Ld	15,000	Tis. 50	Tie, 50	Tis. 150,000	Tis. 64,986	The 10 for year ended 31,10,1966	161 %	Tis. 60 sellers
	Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing Company, Limited	175,000	\$10	. \$to	160,000	114 2(9	50 cents for year ending 31.7.07	41 %	\$10}
•1	International Cotton Manufacturing Company, Ld Laou-kung-mow Cotton Spinning & Weaving Co., Ld.	8,000	Tis. 75	Tis. 75	Tls. 150,000	7 is, 31,460	Tis. 6 for year ended 30.9.06 (8 %)	84 %	Tis. 54 Tis. 90
	Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Company, Limited	7,000	Tls. 500	1 18. 500	Tis. 28,257	Tls. 50,663	Tis. 50 for 1906	174 %	Tis. 280 sellers
	Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited	1,200	12/6	12/6 \$10	£1,299 19,000		1/3 per share for 1906		50) \$20 sellers
į	China Flour Mill Co., Limited	4,000	\$12 Tls. 50	\$12 Tis. 50 . \$103	T's, 50,000	Nil.	Final of Tis. 5 making Tis. 10 for 1905	199	\$10 buyers
	Do. Do. special shares	# <0.000 S		\$10	1115,000		60 cents for year ended 28.2.06		16 sales 19 sales
	Dairy Farm Company, Limited		\$71	\$6	\$ 50,000 \$5,000	12,974			S16}
	Hall & Holtz, Limited	71,000	\$10	\$20	\$186,000	115,002	\$24 for year ending 28.2,07	1114 %	\$20) buyers
	Hongkong Electric Company, Limited	5,000	125	\$10 \$25 \$10	\$105,000		Interim of \$4 for 1-year ending June 30th 'o	91 %	\$144 buyers \$240 sales \$251 buyers
•	Maatschappij tot Mijn., Bosch en Landbouwex.)	15,000		1	{ Tis. \$47,500 Tis. 27,603	14,212	(Third interm of Tis. 7) making Tis. 22)	91 %	Tla. 315 buyers.
16	Peak Tramways Company, Limited Peak Tramways Company (new) Philippine Company, Limited	(0.000	310	1018 112 018		.\$2,655	Sipe sh. orperiodfr.m 19th Oct. to 30th Apr. to	7 8 7	\$5 buyers
•	Shanghai Gas Company, Limited	24,000	Tls. 50		7		Interim of Tis. 3) for account 1907	. 74 %	
: •	Shanghai Pulp and Paper Company, Limited		Tis. 50 Tis. 100	Tip. 100	Tis. 67,323 Tis. 45,000 Tis. 8,000	772	Final of Tls. 5 and Tls. 10 for 1906		Tis. 66 buyers
	Shanghai Sumatra Tobacco Company, Limited			£207	Tis, 24,820 Tis, 50,000	Tls., 7.843	Interim of Tis. 5 for a/c 1907		Tis. 115 sellen Tis. 310 buyen
	Shanghai Waterworks Company, Limited	7,200	£20 £20 \$25			Dr. \$41,934	None None		Tis. 280 buyers \$23 \$51
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6	Union Waterboat Company, Limited		-	\$10 \$4	\$35,000	2349	So cents on 9,900 ord. shares and 119.80 on 100 Founders shares for younders 31.5.07	R	\$10
	Watson, (A. S.) & Co., Limited		Sio	\$10	{	1	Final of 40 cents per share making 80 }	7\$ %	\$11
	William Powell, Limited	15,000	\$10	fio	none	541	Final of 30 cts. making 80 cts. for the year ended 30th June, 1900	***	\$5\$
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### THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR STRAITS, CEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON.

(Through Bills of Lading issued for BATAVIA; PERSIAN GULF, CONTINENTAL, AMERI-CAN and SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS.)

Captain J. D. Andrews, R.N.R., carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, &c., on SATURDAY, the 2nd November, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports, in connection with the Company's B.B. Mooit in, 0,600 tons, from Colombo, Passengers' accommodation in which vessel is secured before departure from Hong-

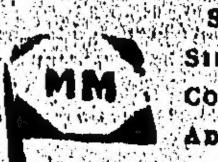
Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into the Mail steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London, other Cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed from Bombay by the R.M.S. Egypt, due in London on 14th Décember, 1907.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 P.M. the day before sailing. The Contents and Value of all Packages are required.

For further Particulars, apply to E. A. HEWETT,

Superintendent. Hongkong, 19th October, 1907.

### MESSACERIES MARITIMES FRENCH MAIL STEAMERS



STEAM FOR SALGON SINGAPORE, BATAVIA COLONBO, AUSTRALIA, ADEN, BOYPT, MAR SEILLES, LONDON. HAVRE, BORDEADX, MEDITERRANEAN, AND

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Japtain Sollier, will be despatched for MARSEILLES on TUESDAY, the 29th Passage tickets and through Bills of Lading issued for above ports, and for Australia with prompt transhipment at Colombo.

Cargo also booked for principal places Next sailings will be as follows ;-S.S. BRNEST SIMONS ..... 12th Nov. S.S. POLYNESIEN .....toth Dec. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

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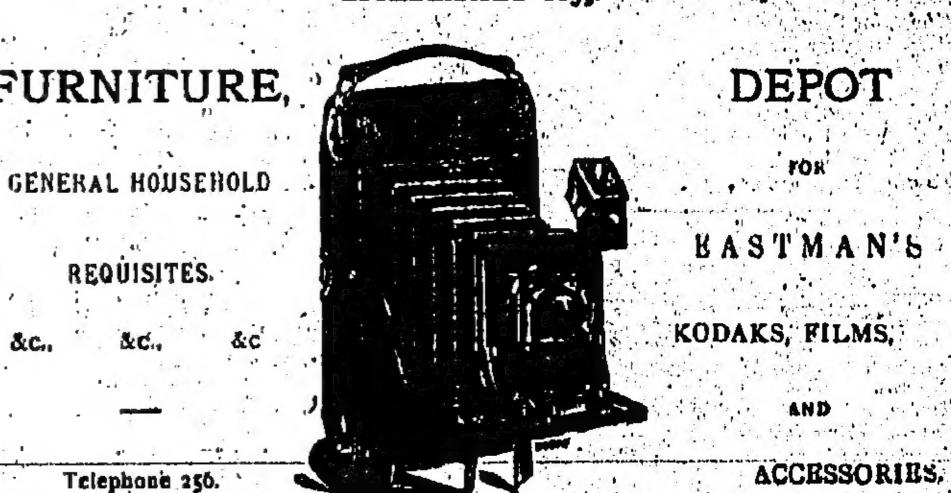
"HEADLEY," will be despatched for the above Port, on or about SATURDAY, the 25th October. For Freight, apply to

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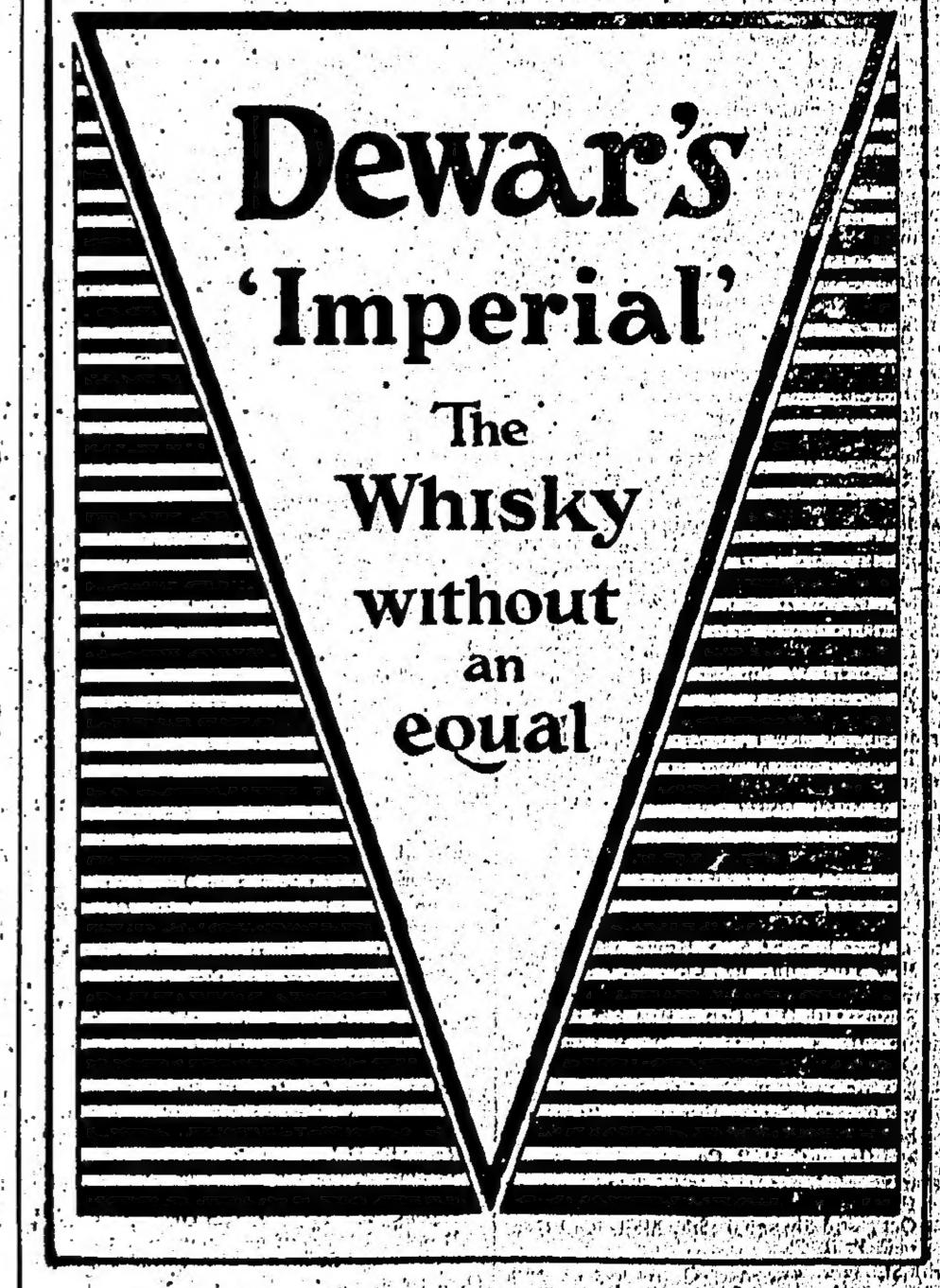
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